

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

<b>IN RE: PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY</b>	)	<b>MDL No. 1456</b>
<b>AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE</b>	)	
<b>LITIGATION</b>	)	<b>Master File No. 01-CV-12257</b>
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<hr/> <b>THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:</b>	)	<b>Judge Patti B. Saris</b>
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<i>County of Westchester v. Abbott Labs., et al.</i>	)	
(S.D.N.Y. No. 03-CV-6178)	)	
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<i>The City of New York v. Abbott Labs., et al.</i>	)	
(S.D.N.Y. No. 03-CV-06054)	)	
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<i>County of Nassau v. Abbott Labs., et al.</i>	)	
(E.D.N.Y. No. 04-CV-5126)	)	

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.5.2(a), please notice the appearance of Rheba Rutkowski and Bingham McCutchen LLP as attorneys for Takeda Pharmaceuticals North America, Inc. in the above-captioned matter.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 9, 2005, a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Notice of Appearance* was served upon all counsel of record by electronic service, in accordance with Case Management Order No. 2 by sending a copy to Verilaw Technologies for posting and notification to all parties.

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